

UTILITY APPLICATION

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (X) Specification in forty-one (41) pages.
- (X) Drawings in twenty-four (24) sheets.

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CONTINUITY INFORMATION:

Application	Relationship	Parent App. No.	Filing Date	Status
This Application	non-provisional	60/446,186	02/05/03	pending

(X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application(s) is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:

(X) Return prepaid postcard.

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FEE TYPE	EE TYPE		•			FEE CODE		CALCULATION				TOTAL	
Basic Utility	•					1001 (\$770)							\$770
Non-English Spec.						1053 (\$130)							\$0
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Excess Claims > 20	53	-	20	=		1202 (\$18)		33 :	ζ.	18	=		\$594
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